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Call for Art: Downtown Trash Enclosure Art Project

Budget: \$1,000 per enclosure

Background: The City of Yuma Division of Arts and Culture is seeking artists to transform trash enclosures in the downtown area into works of public art. Artists selected will design, create, and install murals that aim to further beautify the community's Historic North End. This program is made possible through reallocated funding from the Main Street fountain project due to a generous donation from Degree Mechanical, LLC.

Project Timeline:

Call to Artists open: June 4, 2021

Submission deadline: September 3, 2021

Artists notification: September 30, 2021

Projects installed: October, 2021 – December, 2021

Minimum Qualifications

1. Artists must be 18 years of age or older.
2. Artists must be a resident of the City of Yuma or greater Yuma area.

Submission process and requirements: Submissions due by September 3, 2021 to Arts@yumaaz.gov.

When submitting please use "Downtown Trash Enclosure Art Project" in the subject line.

1. Proposed design rendering (to scale).
2. Design description.
3. Artistic resume or examples of comparative artwork. Professional art experience is not required.
4. Must be of original design and concept. Designs must not breach intellectual property, trademarks, brands, business names, or corporations.

Evaluation Criteria: The design will be selected and approved by the Parks, Arts and Recreation Commission.

1. Visual impact
2. Interpretation and creativity
3. Composition and design
4. Design criteria and eligibility guidelines met

For questions or more information please contact Lindsay Benacka, Arts and Culture Program Manager at Lindsay.Benacka@yumaaz.gov.